



BUILDING A STRONGER FUTURE FOR MARYLAND

This past year, I worked with my colleagues in Congress and with President Biden to help Maryland communities navigate the challenges of COVID-19 and put us on a path toward economic growth and prosperity.

Our efforts included passage of the **American Rescue Plan**, which has already delivered countless benefits to Maryland families, and the **bipartisan infrastructure bill** that will rebuild our crumbling roads and bridges and create millions of good-paying jobs.

I am proud to be leading the charge in **cleaning up corruption** in Washington and **protecting the right to vote**. Our work continues to advance critical priorities for Marylanders, including **lowering the cost of health care premiums and prescription drugs**, **reducing gun violence** and **combating climate change**.

Constituent service remains my top priority, so please contact my office at sarbanes.house.gov if you or your family need help navigating federal agencies.

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*Congressman
John Sarbanes
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REBUILDING AMERICA

"These critical investments will improve the lives of all Marylanders, making it easier for people to get through their day and care for their families."

-Congressman John Sarbanes

CREATING A PROSPEROUS, SUSTAINABLE ECONOMY

The bipartisan **Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act** makes an unprecedented investment in repairing our infrastructure and rebuilding our economy.

- \$4.1 billion to repair Maryland's **2,200 miles of highway**
- \$409 million to fix our state's **273 bridges** in need of upgrades or replacement

This funding is a down payment on our future. It will create a strong, sustainable economy and nationally will add an average of **two million good-paying jobs** per year over the next decade, according to the White House.

The infrastructure bill will also **modernize public transportation** and **expand high-speed internet access**, allowing more Americans to participate fully in workforce opportunities. These investments will pay us back in spades.

FIGHTING CLIMATE CHANGE

Maryland is seeing first-hand the impacts of climate change through extreme weather events. With a **robust national investment of \$50 billion in resiliency and weatherization**, we can strengthen our infrastructure to withstand climate change-related events. I will continue to support efforts to protect our environment and transition to a clean energy economy.

LIFTING UP MARYLAND

SECURING A BRIGHT FUTURE FOR OUR CHILDREN

The American Rescue Plan gave an **economic boost to thousands of Maryland families** by providing a new child tax credit. It also brought:

- \$1.95 billion to Maryland schools and higher education institutions
- \$513 million in funding for child care centers

We will continue our efforts to build back better for Maryland and push forward to provide universal preschool, slash child care costs and extend the critical tax cut for families with children.



Congressman Sarbanes speaks about the Build Back Better Act

SUPPORTING OUR SENIORS

The American Rescue Plan provided **rent, mortgage and utility assistance** for seniors and other individuals struggling during COVID-19. It also helped seniors and Americans with disabilities receive home and community-based services.

Passage of the **Build Back Better Act** will lower prescription drug costs for seniors, establish a cap on out-of-pocket prescription drug costs, close the Medicaid coverage gap and offer expanded benefits under Medicare.

